

Pre-Development Grant

Program Purpose:	To assist in covering costs associated with planning a specific, large-scale project for which additional MJSP funds will subsequently be requested through the submission of a Partnership grant application. The intended outcome of a pre-development project is that the applicant will have an innovative, highly defined curriculum plan and work statement for inclusion in the Partnership grant application.
How It Works:	Grants are awarded to qualifying institutions with businesses as partners.
Eligible Applicants:	Accredited public and/or private educational institutions partnering with businesses within the State of Minnesota.
Minimum Requirements:	The project involves the active participation of private employers within the State of Minnesota.
Eligible Projects:	The grant will be used to increase the applicants knowledge in the areas of employment need, skills training and education for the purpose of developing a Partnership grant proposal for a project that will address education and skills training for high wage, high growth, and high skill occupations, businesses and industries. Ideas for pre-development grants should be discussed with MJSP staff prior to the submission of a proposal.
Ineligible Activities:	Requests for wage subsidies and tuition reimbursements are not eligible.
Maximum Available:	Any single pre-development grant to any one institution shall not exceed \$50,000. The maximum grant amount allowed for a Partnership proposal following a pre-development grant will be reduced by the amount of the pre-development grant.
Terms:	Pre-Development grants should not exceed 12 months in length.
Application Accepted:	Applications are accepted on a year-round basis through a grant application process. Grants, pending the availability of funding, are generally approved two to three times per year. Current application deadlines are posted on our Web site (www.deed.state.mn.us/mjsp) and published in the "State Register."
Approving Authority:	Minnesota Job Skills Partnership Board.
Disbursement of Funds:	Costs are paid on a reimbursement basis.
Contact:	To request additional information or a grant application, please contact the Minnesota Job Skills Partnership at 651-259-7514 or visit our Web site at www.deed.state.mn.us/mjsp .



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